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COMANCHE LADY GIVES HUSBAND NOVEL FEED

For all we know the first woman on earth who ever cooked a meal using wholly peanut oil for grease resides in Comanche. In honor of the opening of the peanut run, Mrs. Polster, last Monday prepared her husband a dinner using crude peanut oil for all purposes where grease is used. Biscuits in which the "shortening" was the nut oil, steak fried in peanut grease and doughnuts were cooked in this new product.

The editor, unknown to the good lady secured a portion of one of the biscuits, and while all biscuits are palatable at the hour we secured this one, the delicate flavor of the peanut added to its taste doubly.

Mr. Polster, from the report of his associates, enjoyed the experiment highly and left as little as possible to be displayed to later comers. But if the other dishes were in keeping with the bread, he is a very foolish man if he left anything.

Mrs. Bettie Cook Passes Away.

Mrs. Betty Cook, one of the best known and widely loved women in Comanche county passed into the vast forever after an illness of six weeks at a sanitarium in Austin, November 14th, at 1 a. m.

Aunt Betty Cook, as she was best known to the host of her neighbors and friends, was a child of one of the earliest and most respected families to settle in this county, being a child of Grandpa Pendergrass.

She was born in Smith county, Texas, March 11, 1850, being sixty-five years, eight months and three days old at the time of her death. She was the fifth child of a remarkable family of nine children, there being five girls and four boys, all of whom are still alive. She came with her father's family to Comanche county in 1859, being then a child of nine years, and lived in this section until a few years ago when she made her home with her son, Jim, at Austin. She was married to John R. Cook probably in 1875. Of this marriage there were born three children. One dying an infant, the other two, James P. Cook of Austin, and Mrs. Addie Stagner of Woodson, survive her; the father having died in 1894.

She united with the Church of Christ probably when a child and was a consistent member until her death. She was a devout Christian and through the influence of her daily life and faith many of the present church members of this county were led to seek their Savior and subsequently join the church.

Aunt Betty was one of those noble, self-sacrificing women who bore all the hardships of the life of a woman of the frontier unflinchingly and always thought of the comfort of those about her before her own as only those women who have undergone the life of an early settler can do.

May there be many to emulate her worthy example.

To My Customers and Friends:

I have received the line of chemicals to be used in the new process of tailoring I have taken up and am now prepared to do any class of cleaning desired.

I have long felt that Comanche should have a cleaning and pressing shop that could handle the more difficult jobs of spot-removing and the more particular work of cleaning delicate fabrics.

I shall give particular attention to ladies' tailoring and especially silks that spot so readily.

I shall be pleased at any time to have my customers watch the process I use as I am sure it will prove interesting to them as well as demonstrate the superiority of my methods. Respectfully,

TALMAGE NABERS,
Prop. Nabers Tailor Shop.

MOVEMENT TO ORGANIZE BAND TAKING SHAPE

The movement to organize a high school band is beginning to take on life. In response to an announcement made in chapel Thursday, forty students were present Friday night besides several citizens and they enthusiastically entered into the organization with Mr. Holden as director.

General lessons are to be given free by director Holden and the individual instruction to be charged for. The instruments are to be owned by the pupils as individuals and are to be paid for in installments.

Mr. Holden hopes to soon have the youngsters able to give concerts, the receipts of which will be used to pay for the players' instruments.

The following pupils have enrolled to use the instruments opposite their names:

Beverley Thomas, drum.
Dick Armstrong, trombone.
Jamie Clark, trombone.
Ira Clemons, saxophone.
Uel Cox, baritone.
Vasco Lee, cornet.

Kenneth Ory, clarinet.
Carl House, clarinet.
Perry Hicks, clarinet.
Ray Hoff, saxophone.
Clyde House, piccolo.
Forrest Reeves, trombone.

Jeffie Thomas, alto.
Guy Allen, Trombone.
Cecil Cox, cornet.

Thelma Gray, saxophone.
Harold Kilpatrick, clarinet.
Preston Tate, baritone.

Ernestine Hanson, saxophone.
Sterling Holloway, cornet.

Making twenty in all. All are enthusiastic youngsters and this quality will make the band go.

Let's all get behind Mr. Holden and the students and make another record-breaking kid band.

Baptist News Notes.

Our "Love Offering." We had appointed last Sunday as the time for making our annual offering to state missions. Though the rains kept most of the members from the morning service, many of them came to the evening service, and the offering brought in for state missions amounted to more than a hundred dollars—just "love gifts."

We gave not in large sums as in the prosperous years of the past; but out of a desire to enter into the labors of our missionaries, many gave small sums. The offerings are still coming in, and those who have no opportunity before next Sunday to bring or send the state mission offering may do so then, and whatever the amount it will be forwarded to the Secy. of our mission board, Dr. J. B. Gambrell.

There was an important meeting of the men of the church Sunday afternoon in which the local interests of the church were discussed and definite plans of work made.

All the teachers and officers and others in our Sunday school who desire to study either book one or book four in the teachers' training course are requested to meet at the church next Sunday afternoon that arrangements may be perfected for these classes.

Tuesday of this week the Ladies' Aid held a reception at the pastorium. See report elsewhere in this paper.

The Baptist general convention of Texas is in session this week in the city of Austin. The pastor is attending this meeting, but expects to return home in time for the Sunday services.

The subject for the service Sunday morning is "The Unity of the Church is a Vital Unity." At 7:30 p. m. "The Unseen Hand."

We invite the reader to worship with us. Geo. A. Carlee, Pastor.

MANY PEOPLE CATCH THE CONTEST SPIRIT

The Contestants.

Mrs. Murt Sullivan.
Miss Edith Brown.
Miss Minnie Lee Clift.
Mrs. Jess McGuire.
Mrs. Alpha Bowman.
Mrs. Gerald Bryson.
Mrs. C. W. Johnson.

People are beginning to pick their favorite contestant and begin work. With but little more than four weeks left contestants are urging their friends to give active support. Each contestant feels her own ability and is making the best of the opportunity.

The woman who wins the ear will have earned the best salary of any woman in Comanche county for the time put in. Even the winner of the fourth prize realizes that she will have more than some of her sisters could possibly save in the same length of time.

The contestants are not asking for a gift, but are offering the public something worth while. The

subscriber is in no way a part of the contest, merely a purchaser, so to speak, and the contest is between our agents.

You have friends in the race and you can afford to subscribe thru them, for while you get what you pay for, at the same time you assist them materially.

You need the paper, every family should have a county paper. Subscribe and assist your friends at the same time.

If you have not seen the beautiful premiums see them—The car at the G. & M. Garage, the piano at Higginbotham's and the diamond ring at Ardis' Jewelry Store. If these prizes are worth while help a friend win one.

Read the paper your neighbor reads—subscribe today.

Note to Contestants: We are preparing a special offer to the public and will give you information when in the office.

OIL MILL EXPERIMENT SURPASSES EXPECTATIONS

The Comanche Cotton Oil Co. began their first run on peanuts last Friday night and shipped their first car of peanut oil Tuesday. The venture is proving a greater success than was expected. The nuts contain a great deal of oil and the cakes have the appearance of an excellent feed.

Mr. Coleman, when asked what he thought of the experiment, said they had encountered several difficulties, and optimistically added "you usually do" but that it was better than they had hoped for. One thing they had not calculated on was the moisture in the nuts and the machine is not prepared to handle the meal. Then with a rather firm look Mr. Coleman said "We're going to crush peanuts." And that is the spirit that has made the experiment go.

The first oil was sold to the Morris Oil Co. and the first meal will be sent to College Station.

Saturday a whole cake of the meal was shipped to the director of agricultural exhibits at Waco to be displayed in the Cotton Palace. A piece of this cake placed next to a piece of cotton seed cake in a show window bears the inscription "Texas' Newest Product. Peanut Cake, the First in the History of the world."

The success of this venture means more to the farmers of this section than anything attempted locally in recent times. The peanut oil industry has opened up in Texas to stay, to grow, to prosper and bring prosperity.

Y. M. B. L. Solicits Messenger Service.

Petitions were circulated under the auspices of the Y. M. B. L. asking the Western Union people to allow Comanche a messenger service. Formerly such service was given Comanche but was discontinued. It is to be hoped that the request will be granted.

Now and then we have some croaker ask what has become of the Y. M. B. L., or make some similar remark concerning it. They are a little slow on wind-jamming, but are quietly and silently delivering the goods. The members practice doing more than they tell.

\$2.75!

\$2.75 buys 100 pounds high patent strictly guaranteed Flour. Why pay more? Now is the time to buy your future supplies. It's going up. Higginbotham's.

BOY STRUCK BY AUTO AND SERIOUSLY HURT

Watson Wilson, 7 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. (Ira) Wilson, was seriously injured at about 12:45 o'clock yesterday when struck by the big automobile of Brooke Smith, Jr. The boy was unconscious until this morning but attending physicians today think he will recover without difficulty. His injuries apparently consist of a concussion of the brain, though no bones are broken.

The accident occurred at the corner of Avenue D and Third St. Mr. Smith was going north on 3rd street, and the little Wilson boy and another boy of about the same age were standing in the street near the east side. Mr. Smith sounded a warning and then veered to the other side of the street slightly, passing the boys at a moderate speed. After the front wheels of the car had passed the boys, Watson Wilson turned quickly and appeared to walk directly into the rear fender. The fender struck the little fellow about the ear and knocked him senseless to the ground.

Mr. Smith stopped his car as quickly as possible and picked up the injured lad, immediately summoning medical assistance. Considerable anxiety was experienced yesterday afternoon, since it was almost impossible at that time to determine the extent of the boy's injuries.

The Wilson family recently moved here from Comanche, buying the George Black residence on Avenue D.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are both Comanche county raised people and have many friends who regret to learn of this accident to the boy.

Comanche Indians to Play Hico.

Comanche high school football team will combat with the members of the Hico squad next Saturday at Hico. The Comanche team will make the trip in autos, leaving at 7 a. m., and will play at 2:30. Hico has a strong team, having the reputation of not being scored upon by any team and being undefeated.

Comanche has not been scored upon by any high school team. Some of Comanche's best men are out; among them "Little Bill" Lane and a probability of C. Woodward; missing his first time since he began football.

Neither coach nor manager have much to say. Getting a line on Comanche by outsiders is a little slow. Quite a number will accompany the team.

See our special on cups and saucers; 40c per set.—5 and 10 Cent Store.

STORES TO CLOSE—FATHER WILL GET HIS HOLIDAY

In response to an article in last week's Chief some members of the Y. M. B. L. took it upon themselves to see that father got his whole good holiday, and circulated the following petition which was duly signed by every business house in town, with this exception: That the two meat markets close at 9 a. m. Thanksgiving, and the newspaper offices will close if their editions can be put out by that time. As follows the petition and signers reads:

Comanche, Texas, Nov. 16, 1915. —We, the undersigned, agree to close our respective places of business on Nov. 25th, Thanksgiving, all day long, to give Father a holiday.

W. W. Kilpatrick & Son.
W. T. Nabers.
S. P. Smith.
R. W. H. Hamilton.
Geo. C. Wetzel.
Hamilton Drug Co.
T. M. Pulliam.
F. & M. National Bank.
G. & M. Garage.
J. W. Scurry.
The Wm. Reese Co.
Bob Stanton.
Neely-Harris-Cunningham Co.
Jud McCarty, Jeweler.
Higginbotham Bros. & Co.
D. Dingwall.
W. F. Elkins.
J. H. Wilhelm.
Comanche County Abstract Co.
Thodberg & Dunlap.
J. R. Eanes & Co.
T. I. Collins.
The 5 and 10 Cent Store.
Brin's One-Price Store.
R. W. Pearce.
The City Grocery.
Gille, The Tailor.
J. R. Davenport.
D. J. Barker.
Geo. M. Rains.
Carroll's Drug Store.
Cotten & Son.
Tate Brothers.
C. R. M. Dudley.
Baxter Brothers.
S. M. Hart.
Mrs. W. R. Ek.
E. U. Wiesendanger.
Morris Second Hand Store.
D. M. Herring.
Floyd Carpenter.
M. Coleman.
The Cash Store.
Roberson Sisters.
Norton & Co.
C. L. Grainger.
Atwood Second Hand Store.
G. E. Wines Mill.
W. B. Garner, Blacksmith.
Comanche Marble Works.
Comanche Mercantile Co.
Davis Mason.
First National Bank.
First State Bank.
Tate's Blacksmith Shop.
Comanche National Bank.
H. L. Ardis, Jeweler.

Clyde Marshall Injured.

Wednesday morning Clyde Marshall, principal of the west ward school, while going to meet the early morning train, in crossing a vacant lot ran into a wire which had been fastened on the top of the fence posts. He was thrown from his feet and rolled into a ditch seriously bruising him and splitting his upper lip so that six stitches had to be taken by Dr. Ory in dressing the wound.

If the street lights we are going to erect had been up in this instance, Clyde would not be suffering the discomfort which he is. Would you walk around in the dark for a dime.

To the People Everywhere.

My daughter, Minnie Lee, is in the Chief-Exponent Contest to the finish, and I want to say that any assistance given her will be appreciated at the fullest extent by the entire family. We will see every one we can, but if we don't get to see you when you pay remember her. Thanking you in advance, I am, yours truly,

R. M. Clift.

Red, Fox, Beaver, Fitch Beaver, Chinese, Raccoon, Black bear, Seal and Coney Fur Sets, the new melon and pillow muffs, new style collars. An opportunity to get furs at an astonishingly low price. Come to Roberson Sisters Store.

Bargains! Bargains!
3 good second hand windmills, pumps, piping, etc. and all necessary fittings complete. See Neely Harris-Cunningham Co.

COURTHOUSE LIGHT PROVES A SUCCESS

In the hand that formerly held the balance of justice we now see the ruling power of the universe—light. The experiment of the Commissioners' Court has been successful beyond their expectations. The light from the courthouse lights the streets of the town for as much as six or seven blocks with an illumination strong enough to cast a shadow.

Now let further light be our object. Four such lamps placed upon towers, each twelve blocks from the square will give the appearance of moonlight over the entire city on the darkest night. Towers seventy feet high situated upon the highest hills in town would be very inexpensive. The maintenance of them would not amount to a great deal. The value of such light could not be calculated in dollars and cents.

The city of Austin is lighted by tower lamps perhaps not more than ten in all and nowhere in the city is it dark enough that the way is not plain. These lights being elevated spread over more territory and the shadows of buildings is smaller. The same globe fifty feet high will light up four times the space one twelve or fifteen feet high will.

We here and now offer this suggestion: Let the town be divided into four wards by the enterprising citizens and then let the denizens of each ward agree upon a place and erect a tower and put a light upon it. It will cost no one over a dollar to install the first one and a ten cent contribution will maintain them thereafter.

Would any citizen wander around in the dark a single night for a dime.

We have discussed this with no one, but if you want light for our city talk to some one. Let the members of the Y. M. B. L. hear from you. If you're not a member it is the only thing in town that's free. Help us light Comanche until he that hides a dark soul can walk unafraid in the middle of the night.

The Commissioners are due the thanks of the entire community for the step they have taken. No wiser expenditure could have been made than this.

Majestic Has Monster Crowd.

One of the largest crowds ever handled by a local moving picture show was that of Saturday night.

The performance was a Broadway special five-reel picture, entitled "Under Southern Skies." This is a reproduction of one of the strongest operas ever featuring in the United States and had one of the most successful runs of any company on the American stage.

Mr. Ardis informs us that he has made arrangements to give his regular patrons who can only visit the show on Saturday night, the best show of the week for a dime, that is the Broadway features which have gained such a popularity in the last few weeks. He states that the biggest western feature ever shown to a Comanche audience will be shown Saturday, Nov. 20th, but didn't say what the title was; but if this one proves as good as the one which drew the monster crowd last Saturday night (which am told is better) I don't see how the house will hold the crowd. The manager should be complimented in giving the public such clean pictures.—adv.

High School Programs.

During the present session each grade at the high school takes it turn in giving in the auditorium a monthly program, the rest of the school acting as audience.

Next Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. the tenth grade will render its first monthly program, which will breathe largely the spirit of Thanksgiving.

Parents and friends will be welcome on this and other similar occasions. R. F. Holloway.

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ONE DOLLAR PER ANNUM

North Carolina's equal suffrage league met at Asheville last week in annual state convention. Only eight delegates from all parts of the state attended—barely enough to gossip entertainingly or organize a real good cry. What is the matter with North Carolina anyway?—Star-Telegram.

England has started a movement to prevent her able-bodied men from migrating to America. Ninety per cent of the European people are born with a desire to come to the land of peace and freedom and now England resents it. 'Twould be such a shame for the war lords to give them peace at home.

Dr. Walter E. Fernald, a distinguished Bostonian expert, declares that the brains of the prettiest girl cannot compare favorably with those of her less attractive sister, and that the most beautiful young women have no more mental power than a child of nine. Gee, but some beauty must have stung the Doc.—Fort Worth Record.

The first week of November gave the St. Louis Bankers the greatest business in its history. The same thing is true of Fort Worth. Both there are business centers, so their business must be on the increase. One local banker says he had the biggest days' banking business in the history of his institution at the same time. And yet it is hard times.

A movement on the part of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in their session at Brownwood to have a board of picture show censors for the state may lead further than they think. It may cause the passage of a law to prevent small children attending the shows by themselves at unreasonable hours. No child of immature years should be allowed to roam the streets at all hours of the night. The older he grows the later hours he will keep.

How many farmers have in mind an ideal farm? Every business man has his ideal business well in mind to work to. Every lawyer has his ideal practice before him. Every teacher has his ideal school to work to. Why shouldn't the farmer have an ideal in his mind? There are two or three men in Comanche county who are trying under the Government supervision to establish ideal farms or model farms as they are called. The more ideal the nearer perfection.

One thing lacking on the farm is skilled labor. Very few farmers know how to prune trees properly and do many other similar things that require some scientific knowledge of agriculture. Yet if the farmer desires an expert to do his work and is willing to pay for it he can not find the skilled workmen. A few years will find the country filled with expert pruners, builders, sprayers, etc., and it will be well for the fruit industry when it is. To have a beginner to prune a tree is as dangerous to its life as the employment of a "quack" doctor in case of sickness.

One reason for the lack of progress in farming lies in the fact that so many farmers are not interested in their work. There are a great many farmers who are engaged in that occupation as a temporary one. A goodly number are working their land in the hope they can make a good crop and quit. Many of them are men who have failed in other lines and move to the farm till "something turns up." In either case the man has little interest in either the science of business or farming. He is merely living on the farm. Men enter the business and professional world with a very definite end in view and the goal of his ambition well established. As consequence their business and professions have made marvelous progress, and when farming makes as rapid strides, it must be as a result of the activities of men who are making farming their life work, not a make-shift occupation.

Samuel Gompers hastily informs the world that he and the labor unions have kept United States out of war. Every grandstander of note makes the same claim—we can only wonder. There are two reasons why United States has kept out of war. They are Woodrow Wilson and Robt. Lansing. Perhaps Gompers intimidated Wilson and made him keep us out of war, but if he did he can sell his receipt for intimidating the president for a handsome sum to some N. Y. politicians we know.

The town and the country are so closely related that when one prospers the other must prosper also. The more the farm produces and the better the prices the farmers receive, the more business will the town have. The farmer's dollar is the dollar that builds the town and yet the farmer's dollar will not be sufficient in supplying his wants unless the town provides a market. Better farming means better business, and better business gives farmers a better market.—Farm & Ranch.

Johnson grass in the public road is rapidly becoming a menace to those fields which lie next to the highways. We know several farms that have become set with this pest on account of being on the lower side of a hill from a road where Johnson grass grows. We also know of several farmers who spend their own money and time keeping the public thoroughfares clean next to their farms. In some states the roads are diligently kept clear of pestilent vegetation and Texas will be forced to some day. The Russian thistle of the grain country is fought in this manner. The country must some day farm her roads.

TEXAS IS ONE OF SEVEN STATES.

Texas is one of seven states in the United States without a highway department. Roads are a most important asset to any state, as they are used by practically every person at some time or another. There has been some small attempts to have a highway department in Texas, but it has never been very serious. If Texas would adopt a highway department and would work the convicts upon the roads splendid highways could be made with very small cost per mile.—Cleburne Enterprise.

If such a department would help the roads we would favor it. If its purpose is to issue bulletins—we have nearly enough.

And now comes a notice from the Attorney General that that part of the warehouse law pertaining to ginners will be enforced. We thought that the whole of the state had by this time realized that that part of the warehouse law was a farce. The expense of handling cotton is all paid by the farmer. The less the red tape the less the expense. Those "farmers' friends" who met in Austin to assist the farmer added a few yards of red tape to the handling. They were well meaning people. Some author tells us where a multitude of well-meaning people may be found. But the Attorney General cannot be blamed. If the people permit the law he must enforce it.

Preparedness in national defense is the most widely discussed of the current questions. Somebody said we are not prepared for war. Someone hinted Germany was coming to conquer America next. Most of the people who talk so much on this question have no idea what defense America has. Those at the head of the army department would be very foolish to publish to the world at large just our line of defense, and they cannot afford to display their fortifications to satisfy the curiosity of some country editor whose whole preparedness for battle is his own speed. We may not be prepared for war but we have a perfectly good president and a very live congress to look after our coast defenses. We are willing to leave it to them. If we were not we would have voted republican.

LANSING'S SHARP NOTE.

Colonel Richard Edmonds, editor and publisher of the Manufacturers' Record of Baltimore, has been given a shock. The Lansing note almost paralyzed him. Colonel Edmonds goes on record as follows: "Any politician who seeks out of the present situation to create hostilities with Great Britain would prove a traitor to civilization, and in the final winding up, a traitor to his country." Lansing is secretary of state. He is the strong right arm of the President of the United States.

His ancestors were Mohawk Valley Dutch. They fought Brandt and his Indians and white allies in the dark days of the revolution. There were Lansings in the war of 1776. There were Lansings in the war of 1812. Lansings have worn the uniform of this republic in all its wars.

This is a free country, and if Colonel Edmonds doesn't like the atmosphere there are no strings on him. He can take passage on an outgoing steamer and find surcease from sorrow in his old home. If he will make haste he will effect a landing before the conscription act becomes effective.—Fort Worth Record.

Colonel Edmonds represents special interests. They, by nature, object to the people as a whole being protected. Lansing has acted according to his best judgment. Who dares do right may expect censure. The above clipping is doubtless the sentiment of the entire South; it just took Fitzgerald to say it.

FRIVOLITY

Did you ever notice that you think more of a friend while you are using him than you do after he begins using you

Good Training.

My cross-examination didn't seem to worry you much," said the famous lawyer to the witness after the trial. "Have you had any previous experience?"

"Just a little," replied the witness sarcastically. "I have six children."

The peanut crop of Comanche county is estimated at a million bushels. The oil mill is grinding the nuts into meal and oil. The hulls should be made into breakfast foods and sold to those Yankees who have been working off their shredded fence posts on the innocent public.—Coleman Voice.

Cupid, Too, Was Up-to-date.

"Engaged to four girls at once?" exclaimed the horrified uncle. "How do you explain such shameless conduct?"

"I don't know," said the graceless nephew. "I guess Cupid must have shot me with a machine gun."—Ladies' Home Journal.

The hero said to me, "do you object to this cigar?" which he had already lighted and was puffing vigorously. "No, no, no!" I answered which was the cue for him to tell me the story of his life. He looked at me instead, and said, rolling the cigar between his fingers. "That, madame, is because you do not have to smoke it!"

A Natural Error

The bishop was visiting the family and was being entertained by the five-year-old son.

"Well, Bunny," said the Bishop, smilingly, "do you know that ten years ago I married your mother in this very town?"

"Why, no," said Bunny in wide-eyed surprise. "I always thought that my father married my mother."—Ladies' Home Journal.

The Elements of Man.

During the hearing of a case involving a small domestic dispute the judge declared that "a patriot is a man who refuses to hook up his wife's lingerie waists. And a martyr," he went on, "is one who tries and fails, while a hero tries and succeeds."

"Then how would you define a coward?" asked the lawyer, who was a bit of a wag himself.

"Oh, a coward," replied the judge, "is a man who stays single so he won't have to try it."

A Cruel Blow.

"I see you have your arm in a sling," said the inquisitive passenger. "Broken, isn't it?"

"Yes, sir," responded the other passenger.

"Meet with an accident?"

"No; broke it while trying to pat myself on the back."

"Great Scott, what for?"

"For minding my own business."

Putting it up to Fatehr.

After unsuccessful attempts to draw her husband into conversation at the restaurant the wife discovered the cause of his abstraction to be a beautiful girl dressed in black and seated at a nearby table.

"An attractive widow," observed the wife coolly.

"Yes, indeed, a very attractive widow," agreed the husband enthusiastically.

"Yes," sighed the wife. "I wish I were one."—Ladies' Home Journal.

He Had the Range.

A visiting minister preaching in a small town, near which a well-known race meeting is held, forcibly denounced the "sport of kings." The principal patron of the church always attended the home meet-



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ings, and of this the stranger was afterwards informed.

"I'm afraid I touched one of your weaknesses," said the preacher, not wishing to offend the wealthy one; "but it was quite unintentional, I assure you."

"Oh, don't mention it," cheerfully retorted the backslider; "it's a mighty poor sermon that don't hit me somewhere."—Tit-Bits.

Why, of Course.

The teacher was hearing the class in history recite. "Now, Dorothy," she said, "who followed Edward VI?"

"Queen Mary," replied Dorothy.

"Very good and who followed Mary?"

The class was silent, but small Elsie waved her hand wildly.

"Well, Elsie, you may tell us who followed Mary."

"Her little lamb."—Ladies' Home Journal.

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Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. BAL-LARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by S. P. Smith.

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A New York girl tells of a visit to a cousin in Colorado, a widow who had lately taken unto herself another mate.

"How did you make the acquaintance of your second?" asked the New York girl, by way of opening up conversation.

"It was quite romantic," said the other. "I was walking with my first when my second came along in an automobile and ran him down. That was the beginning of our friendship."

Made Over Again.

Mrs. Jennie Miner, Davidson, Ind., writes: "I can truthfully say Foley Cathartic Tablets are the best I ever used. They are so mild in action. I feel like I had been made over again." They keep stomach sweet, liver active and bowels regular. They banish constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache. The Wm. Reese Co.

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We have every facility for handling consignments to YOUR advantage, whether to sell on arrival or to hold as long as you like. Advances at six per cent.

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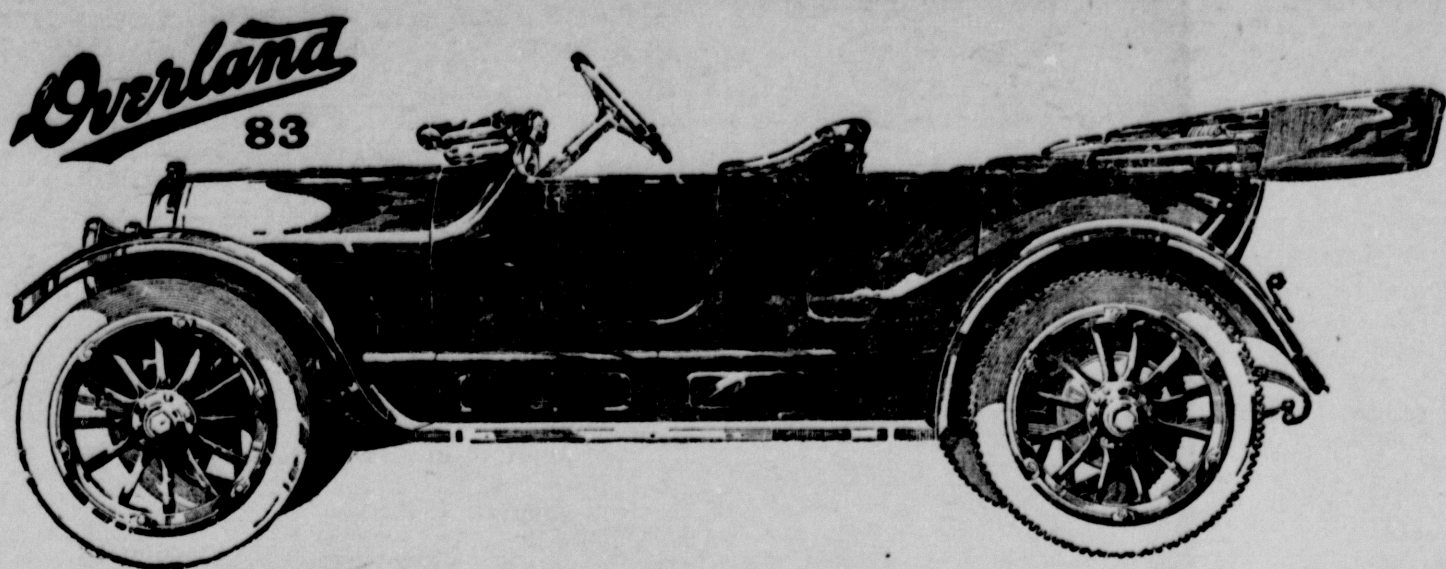
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Five Passenger Touring
Touring Roadster \$725
Prices f. o. b. Toledo

Anyone Will Be Proud to Own This \$750 Overland

Just think of a roomy five passenger touring car. Completely equipped. High tension magneto ignition—as used in most costly cars—Electric starter and lights—Long underslung rear springs—33 x 4 inch Tires, non-skid in rear.

And this is the new Overland at \$750.00 f. o. b. Toledo.

No car has ever been offered to the motor-buying public that in any way approaches the

new \$750.00 Overland in appearance—at with-in several hundred dollars of this new Overland price.

It is essentially an Overland product, the result of enormous Overland production.

The more closely you examine it—the more carefully you compare it with other automobile values—the more you will realize that the Overland is the car that will give best value.

It is a car YOU will be proud to own.

MODEL 83 BRIEF SPECIFICATIONS

35 Horse-power motor
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Demountable rims, one rim extra

High-tension Magneto Ignition
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One-man top with cover
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Let us arrange for a demonstration. Call, telephone or write us.

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Comanche, Texas

Phone No. 360

TEXAS APPLE GROWERS HAVE PROSPEROUS YEAR

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—The 1915 apple crop of Texas is 71 per cent of normal according to the monthly crop report which was recently made public by the bureau of crop estimates and the information contained in the report forecasts a production of 171,000 barrels (three bushel size) in Texas this year. The final estimates for 1914 show that there were 167,000 barrels produced in Texas that year.

Although this year's Texas apple crop will not be quite as large as previously predicted and will only be a few thousand barrels

OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years.

To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and void sickness. No alcohol in Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

more than the 1914 production, it will, it is believed, be one of the most profitable years of the industry. The improved methods of packing and marketing which are being employed by Texas growers will enable them to get more for their fruit, it is thought.

The production for the United States is held at 71,632,000 barrels and the crop is 63 per cent of normal, which is considerably above the ten year average and according to the report, the final estimates on the 1914 production for the United States were given at 84,400,000 barrels.

It is also indicated in the report that about 31 per cent or 22,000,000 barrels of this year's crop consist of early varieties and 69 per cent or nearly 50,000,000 barrels of late varieties.

Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. The Wm. Reese Co.

We have felt for some time that certain speakers who go through the country stirring up bitter feeling between the churches, and certain papers that are printed for no other purpose than to abuse some religious denomination, deserve rebuke, and we are very glad to see the rebuke administered by such high authority and such a splendid Christian gentleman as our beloved President Woodrow Wilson. In his address before the Manhattan Club last week President Wilson said:

"We should rebuke not only manifestations of racial feeling in America, where there should be none, but also every manifestation of religious and sectarian antagonism. It does not become America that within her borders, where every man is free to follow the dictates of his conscience and worship God as he pleases, men should raise the cry of church against church. To do that is to strike at the very spirit and heart of America."

"We are a God-fearing people. We agree to differ about methods of worship, but we are united in believing in divine providence and in worshipping the God of nations."

"We are the champions of religious rights, here and everywhere, that it may be our privilege to give it our countenance and support. The government is conscious of the obligation and the nation is conscious of the obligation. Let no man create division where there are none."

These are wise words, spoken by a great and good man. Let us hope they will have a far greater influence upon the people of America than the denunciations of bitter partisans who fasten upon prejudice and rejoice in the work of stirring up hatred between those who ought to be friends and co-workers.—Ex.

Little time will be if you wash out the wound with BORONZONE ANTISEPTIC and dress it with BORONZONE POWDER. It purifies the wound and heals quickly. Use it on your stock for screw worms, dehorned cattle or any kind of cut or bruise. For man or beast. Price 25c, 50c \$1.00 and \$1.50 per package. For sale by S. P. Smith.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

GO TO CHURCH IF YOU WISH TO BE HEALTHY IN MIND AND BODY

This unique advertisement advertisement appeared in a Hamilton newspaper. Its author is unknown, but it is worth reproducing:

"Go to church if you wish to be healthy!"

"A healthy mind means a healthy body. No man who does not GO TO CHURCH can have a healthy mind. A clear conscience is the greatest tonic for the body. No man can have a clear conscience unless he goes to church. Faith and deep religion can accomplish more than the most renowned physician. No man is happy in sin. True happiness may be found in God. You cannot commune with God unless you go to the house of God. God is the great healer."

"Let any christian man deny that he is unhappy when he quits. He may be rich and enjoy himself without stint with the pleasures of this world, but in the final analysis he knows and feels that there is something lacking. Men who have not entered a church in years can't conceal their delight when they get back to the fold. They know they are doing right when they go to the church. And there is great satisfaction in doing what is right."

"Therefore, while there a thousand and one reasons why a person should GO TO CHURCH, not the least of these is the reason that GOING TO CHURCH makes for a long and happy life on this earth and life eternal in the hereafter."

"Be healthy in mind and body! GO TO CHURCH next Sunday and every Sunday."

"Get your neighbor to do likewise!"

"Help along the splendid GO TO CHURCH movement in this glorious land of ours."

OUCH! RUB BACKACHE, STIFFNESS, LUMBAGO

Rub pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil"

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now, listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.—adv.

To My Patrons:

I will be in Comanche until Dec. 1 for the purpose of collecting. I must have my collections made by this date, and respectfully ask that those who owe me see me at once.

Respectfully,
Dr. J. Wes Carson,
11-13) At Smith's Drug Store.

Beware of Cheap Substitutes.

In these days of keen competition it is important that the public should see that they get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and not take substitutes sold for the sake of extra profit. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has stood the test and been approved for more than forty years. Obtainable everywhere.

FOR SALE

85 acres of land three and a half miles north-east from the courthouse, on DeLeon and Comanche public road; 65 acres in cultivation, plenty of wood and water; good well of water; four room house; good barn; within one-half mile of school. Price \$2450.00.—C. A. Hitt, Comanche, Texas. (tf)

Hats cleaned and re-blocked at Gille's Tailor Shop. (11-15pd)

CHURCH DL.

Intended to give information all church services for following this issue.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Franklin Moore, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. O. J. Simmons, Supt.
Morning service, 11 a. m. "The Factors That Make a Nation Great."
Evening service, 7 p. m. "The Everlasting Gospel."
Junior League, 3 p. m.
Senior League, 4 p. m.
Women's Missionary Society, 3 p. m. each Tuesday. Mrs. I. T. Clemons, Pres.
Prayer-meeting, 7 p. m. every Wednesday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

B. K. Tenny, Pastor.
Sabbath School, 9:45. D. Chas. Clarke, Supt.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. every Sunday.
Evening Service, 7:45 p. m. every Sunday.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Geo. A. Curlee, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Hill Huddleston, Supt.
Morning service, 11 a. m. "The Unity of the Church is a Vital Unity."
Evening service, 7:30 p. m. "The Unseen Hand."
B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m. Velma Her-ring, Pres.
Ladies' Aid Society, Tuesday, 3 p. m. Mrs. Wm. Reese, Pres.
Prayer-meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Dr. Clinton Lockhart, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m. R. F. Holloway, Supt.
Church Services, First Sunday of each month.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Dec. 5.
Evening Service, 7:15 p. m. Dec. 5.
Bible Study every Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
C. W. B. M. Mrs. Chas. Ory, Pres. Meets every First Tuesday at 4 p. m. Next meeting Dec. 7, with Miss Mae Hall.

ST. MATHEWS CHURCH

(Episcopal.)
Rev. John Power, Rector.
Sunday School, 10 a. m. every Sunday. Jno. D. Waring, Supt.
Church Services every Third Sunday of each month.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Nov. 21.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Nov. 21.
Ladies' Guild meets Monday, Nov. 22, with Mrs. J. D. Waring.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School, 10 a. m. every Sunday.
Communion Service, 11 a. m. every Sunday.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure.
The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

PECANS

Floyd Carpenter pays the cash for pecans, chickens, eggs, butter, turkeys and furs. Opposite fire station. Phone 289. (7tf)

ORDER NOW

For your Xmas Presents

Ladies Home Journal, year \$1.50
Saturday Evening Post, year \$1.50
Country Gentleman, year \$1.00
See GRADY BOWDEN
at Paris Smith's. Phone No. 3.

URIC ACID SOLVENT

50 Cent Bottle (32 Doses)
FREE

Just because you start the day worried and tired, stiff legs and aching muscles, no aching head, burning and bearing down pains in the back—worn out before the day begins—do not think you have to stay in that condition. Those sufferers who are in and out of bed half a dozen times at night will appreciate the rest, comfort and strength our treatment gives. For every form of bladder trouble, scalding pains, or kidney or bladder troubles. The Williams' Treatment conquers kidney and bladder diseases, rheumatism and uric acid troubles, no matter how chronic or stubborn. If you have never used The Williams' Treatment, we will give you one 50c. bottle (32 doses) for your own use free. Contains no alcohol or habit-forming drug. Does not affect the heart. Send this notice with your name and address, and 10c. to help pay distribution expenses, to The Dr. J. C. Williams Company, Dept. 2047D, New Post Office Block, East Hampton, Conn. You will receive by parcel post a regular 50c. bottle (32 doses), without charge and without incurring any obligations. One bottle only to a family or address.

No. 3561
Report of the Condition of the
NATIONAL BANK, at Comanche, Texas
In the State of Texas, at the close of business on Nov. 10, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts (except those shown below)	\$192,401.77	
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00	50,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$7,200.00	
Less amount unpaid	3,600.00	3,600.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	12,000.00	12,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		3,800.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		5,000.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		4,207.17
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	3,168.83	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	1,152.55	4,321.38
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		4,405.89
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,185.52
Outside checks and other cash items	2,831.63	
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	138.90	2,970.53
Notes on other national banks		2,430.00
Federal Reserve notes		20.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Coin and certificates	10,419.00	
Legal-tender notes		10.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation) and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Customers' liability accounts of "acceptances"		34,095.89
Total		\$334,367.15

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00	
Surplus fund	20,000.00	
Undivided profits	\$6,720.88	6,720.88
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,519.32	2,201.56
Circulation notes outstanding		50,000.00
Net amount due to approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	1,347.76	1,347.76
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 28 or 29)		4,223.05
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	96,339.41	
Cashier's checks outstanding		627.40
Total demand deposits	96,966.81	
Other time deposits		4,565.61
Total of time deposits	4,565.61	
Rediscunts with Federal Reserve Bank	30,062.36	30,062.36
Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed		25,000.00
Total		\$334,367.15

State of Texas, County of Comanche, ss:
I, W. M. Durham, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. M. Durham, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: F. E. Adams, N. E. Palmer, H. A. Carmichael, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Nov. 1915.
Jno. T. Jay, Notary Public.

NOTICE!
We buy and sell all kinds of new and second hand goods. We make old mattresses new and make new mattresses to order.—Atwood Brothers, in the Burks-Simmons Building. (121f)
A very complete line of men's and boys' winter caps now on display at Higginbotham's.

NOTICE!
You are forbidden by law to dump any carcass or other refuse matter on the City "dump grounds," without first obtaining permission of the city. The City will see that anyone trespassing on the above grounds is prosecuted. Do not do it.
(11-12) J. R. Eanes, Mayor.

Large Dairy Farmers Use Texaco Roofing

THAT in itself is one of the strongest recommendations for this particularly valuable Texaco Product.

Dairy farming, with its necessarily large investment and its costly live stock, has become a valuable and efficient industry.

The experienced business man engaged in it uses Texaco Roofing to protect his cows from rain and damp.

Texaco Roofing is a paying proposition for him. Not only for the protection afforded, but for the low cost of upkeep and the ease with which it is applied. These features make it doubly valuable on your house, barn or factory.

Lay it yourself and make a perfect roof.

Get in touch with the Texaco agent in your town. Let him explain Texaco Roofing to you. It is a worthy representative of the whole line of Texaco Quality Products.



No. 4246
Report of the Condition of the
COMANCHE NATIONAL BANK, at Comanche, Texas
In the State of Texas, at the close of business on Nov. 10, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts	\$118,179.67	
Bills of acceptance on cotton, grain and peanuts	10,679.89	128,859.56
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00	50,000.00
U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits (par value)	1,000.00	51,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$7,200.00	
Less amount unpaid	3,600.00	3,600.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	19,522.23	19,522.23
Furniture and fixtures		3,697.75
Real estate owned other than banking house		2,650.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		1,999.55
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	360.76	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	8,863.74	9,224.50
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		2,250.24
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,065.56
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	175.48	175.48
Notes of other national banks		3,700.00
Federal Reserve notes		1,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Coin and certificates	5,022.50	
Legal-tender notes		1,590.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation) and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Other assets, if any		463.85
Total		\$239,321.22

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00	
Surplus fund	20,000.00	
Undivided profits	\$9,836.35	9,836.35
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,703.91	7,132.44
Circulation notes outstanding		50,000.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 28 or 29)		517.10
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	60,882.18	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days		151.20
Cashier's checks outstanding		61.58
Postal savings deposits		576.72
Total demand deposits	61,671.68	
Total		\$239,321.22

State of Texas, County of Comanche, ss:
I, J. B. Chilton, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. B. Chilton, President.
Correct—Attest: Jno. D. Waring, Jno. P. Hoff, E. W. Harris, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Nov. 1915.
H. N. Goodson, Notary Public.

No. 246
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of
The State Bank of Proctor

at Proctor, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 10th day of Nov. 1915, published in the Comanche Chief and Pioneer, a newspaper printed and published at Comanche, State of Texas, on the 10th day of Nov. 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$30,779.25	
Loans, real estate	1,482.35	
Overdrafts	378.29	
Bonds and stocks	0.00	
Real Estate (banking house)	1,800.00	
Other Real Estate	0.00	
Furniture and fixtures	1,300.00	
Due from Approved Reserve agents, net	5,079.18	
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net	695.19	5,774.37
Cash items	90.10	
Currency	1,917.00	
Specie	540.69	1,677.69
Other resources as follows:		
Interest on Depositors guaranty fund	615.46	
Advances on Cotton	0.00	
TOTAL	\$43,707.91	
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock paid in	15,000.00	
Surplus Fund	2,500.00	
Undivided Profits, net	4,679.88	
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	0.00	
Individual Deposits, subject to check	21,347.97	
Time Certificates of Deposit	0.00	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	0.00	
Cashier's Checks	180.00	
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	00.00	
Certificates of deposit, issued for money borrowed	0.00	
Other Liabilities as follows:		
Reserved for Taxes		
TOTAL	\$43,707.91	

State of Texas, County of Comanche:
We, R. W. Gray as president, and R. R. Evans as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
R. W. GRAY, President.
R. R. EVANS, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 17th day of Nov. A. D. 1915.
C. B. Guyer, Notary Public.
Comanche Co. Texas.

Correct—Attest:
D. S. JENNINGS
C. F. Luker
B. F. Luker

Hog Shippers Notice.
The Marketing Association will ship hogs Monday, November 22.
R. T. Janes, Secy.

We have a complete line of winter goods for the school kiddies, including mittens and fingered golf gloves in all colors.
and Higginbotham's.

See the brown fur sets for \$5.00 at Roberson Sisters Store.

For Sale.
One 8-horse power gas engine in good condition, for sale at a bargain. See me at Farmers' Mill.—Geo. E. Wines, Comanche. (1tpd)

Complete stock queensware, dishes, glassware.—5 and 10 Cent Store.

The rain which fell Sunday was a perfect fit—the made to order kind. The grain raisers needed rain on the unbroken land, on the seed just planted and on the grain already up, and they got it just when we needed it most. On the contrary a slow rain of several days with continued cloudy weather would have ruined the peanut crop. But the rain came and immediately cleared and the peanut crop was but slightly damaged; and, too, most of them were threshed. And on Thanksgiving day we will forget we have anything to be thankful for but peace or some other blessing more remote.

For Sale Cheap.
Three good mules. See Will Carpenter at Chief office. (121f)

Pure Michigan meat salt at Higginbotham's.

ALVARADO MAN RESTORED BY WONDERFUL REMEDY

Gets appetite and comfort back after taking first dose.

T. A. Hensley of Alvarado, Texas, suffered for a long time from derangements of the digestive tract. He had colic attacks and indigestion. His liver was inactive and he was in pain after eating.

He took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. From the very first dose it brought swift results. He wrote:

"I have taken your treatment for stomach trouble and consider it a Godsend to suffering humanity. I have been suffering from stomach troubles for a long time, such as colic attacks, bloating after eating, sick spells, indigestion, constipation and inactive liver and gall stones. Now I do not feel like the same man. I can cheerfully commend this remedy to all stomach sufferers."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfied money will be returned.

No. 7105
Report of the Condition of the
FARMERS & MERCHANTS NAT. BANK, at Comanche, Texas
In the State of Texas, at the close of business on Nov. 10, 1915.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts	\$94,161.10	\$94,161.10
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00	50,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$4,700.00	
Less amount unpaid	2,350.00	2,350.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	7,000.00	7,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		3,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		3,043.95
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		1,022.40
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	2,661.17	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	3,459.62	6,120.79
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		2,010.88
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		4,702.13
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	375.40	375.40
Notes of other national banks		500.00
Federal Reserve notes		800.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Coin and certificates		3,868.35
Legal-tender notes		100.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation) and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Total		\$181,555.00

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in	\$70,000.00	
Surplus fund	8,000.00	
Undivided profits	\$5,958.70	5,958.70
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,818.53	4,140.17
Circulation notes outstanding		49,500.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 28 or 29)		3,583.92
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check		46,330.91
Total demand deposits	46,330.91	
Total		\$181,555.00

State of Texas, County of Comanche, ss:
I, W. J. Cunningham, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. J. Cunningham, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: J. W. McCollum, J. A. Montgomery, M. B. Anderson, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Nov. 1915.
John D. Waring, Notary Public.

For Lease.
237 acres of land four miles north-east from Comanche. 200 acres in cultivation, some new and rough, two houses, two wells. Want to lease for five years, and will give liberal contract.—J. R. Eanes & Co. (12-13)
Now is the time to lay in your supply of Flour. For \$2.75 you can buy 100 pounds strictly guaranteed high patent flour. Price will soon be advanced.
Higginbotham's.

St. Matthew's Church.
Services on Sunday morning and evening by the Rev. John Power.
For Sale Cheap—Several good second-hand windmills, jobs complete.—Neely-Harris-Cunningham Co.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd "His Prey"

A Gold Seal sensational drama in two reels. Also a good comedy.—5c and 10c.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23rd Clara K. Kimbal Young

In a Paul Armstrong Play in 5 exciting acts and an L-KO comedy with Billie Ritchie.—15c, children 5c.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24th A 4 Reel Imp Masterpiece

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Peaches, 10 acres, 270 bushels, sold for	377.50
Grapes, 1-2 acre, 214 bushels, sold for	428.00
Pears, 39 bushels, sold for	39.00
Peas, 205 bushels, sold for	225.00
Peanuts, 50 bushels, sold for	30.00
Tomatoes, 195 bushels, sold for	169.65
Peppers, 32 bushels, sold for	25.00
Corn, 4 bushels, sold for	20.00
Okra, 32 bushels, sold for	32.00
Potatoes, 10 acres, 1018 bu. sold for	1262.50
Apples, 20 acres, 2800 bu. sold for	3500.00
Total	\$6557.31

The above was produced on a 60-acre farm by Mr. Chas. Cuthbertson near Comanche. He does not claim to have brought rains where did not get nor have a better farm than his neighbors. But he did plant what he could grow and cultivate it properly.

Mr. Cuthbertson is one of the best fruit growers in this section of Texas, and we believe that his this year's crop will favorably compare with that of any fruit-grower anywhere.

Most of the work has been done by him and one son, Jesse, who has had charge of the marketing of the crop.

One thing in particular is of special note is the apple crop which was \$3500, averaging 140 bushels per acre and selling for \$1.25 per bushel.

It is undoubtedly one of the greatest apple-growing sections anywhere and yet as a whole the apple industry has proved a failure. The chief reason is the lack of knowledge of how to handle the crop. Mr. Cuthbertson knows how and has made his success.

There are very few people in this country who know anything about orchard care, but people who do know how to cultivate fruit crops will come here and Comanche apples will compete with Colorado and Arkansas varieties; and "natives" will realize we have missed golden opportunities.—too late.

Bell County Goes Dry.

Bell county, the home county of Governor Ferguson has entered the dry column by a majority of nearly five hundred.

This was perhaps one of the hottest campaigns ever waged on the local option question in the state.

F. & M. Bank Improving Property.

The building of the F. & M. Bank is receiving a nice coat of clean white paint, a sign of prosperity. Two weeks ago Mr. Chilton spruced up his buildings on the west side of the square. The movement spreads. Mr. Cunningham is to be complimented. If your place of business looks dead your business will die.

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Went to the Hospital.

C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles and sleep disturbing bladder ailments. The Wm. Reese Co.

Dublin Does Immense Turkey Business.

An article in the Dublin Telephone says that during the week just passed \$1300 per day was paid for turkeys at the rate of 12c per pound and that every available laborer was at work killing them for cold storage. From all over Texas comes similar reports.

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District Court Proceedings.

First National Bank of Guthrie, Okla. vs. J. T. Hughes et al, suit on notes; judgment for the plaintiff.

V. O. Lee vs. Jno. T. Jay et al, suit on notes; in hands of jury.

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Baptist Ladies' Meeting.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid met at the Pastorium Tuesday afternoon, Vice-President Mrs. H. H. Huddleston, presided, conducting the devotional exercises; Mrs. Curlee, Bible teacher, conducted the recitation of the lesson. Then a call was made for testimonies as to the appreciation of the study. There was a glad and hearty response from those whose lives have been blessed by the work. There has been a steady growth in the spiritual life of many of the members and a truly spiritual note predominated at this meeting.

Mrs. Curlee discussed Christmas in its highest meaning, and how far short of the real thing we fall;

and then appealed to the women to be more faithful in service through the Christmas-tide. Why should we be so busy in preparation for selfish enjoyments that we mock Jesus with a pretended celebration of this day which is set apart by a Christian people in honor of His birth. A Member.

To My Patrons.

Those who are due me for services please see me at once. It will be easier to settle with me now than with my attorney later.—J. Wes Carson, at Smith's drug store. (It)

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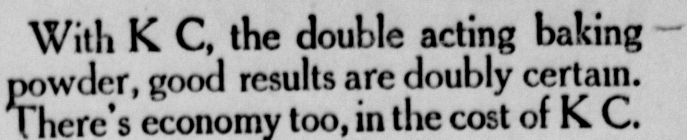
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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Sidney News.

Winborn Ferrill left for the cot-palace at Waco Saturday where he will spend three or four days.

W. P. Payne of near Blanket visited in this vicinity Sunday night Monday.

H. Stagner of Woodson attended the funeral of Mrs. Bettie Cook here Monday afternoon. Mrs. Jim McCullough entertained a large crowd of ladies with a visiting bee Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hilliard and Mr. Newton and family left McCullough county Sunday where they will make their future home.

W. H. Jones and daughters, Jesse and Hubbard, left for Worth Monday where they expect to make their home. Miss Mabel Morris who has been visiting her parents for the past week returned to Carbon Saturday evening school again.

Rev. Wester of Sipe Springs has his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday, Sunday and Sunday night.

Belle Walker visited her son at Hasse the latter part of the week.

Ray Graham and Herman Adams who have been out west for the past two or three months picked up cotton returned home last Sunday evening.

Alvin Steele and Miss Myrtle Hilliard went to Elm Grove Sunday and surprised their many friends by getting married while they were there. We hope them a long and happy life.

W. I. Jones has been real sick the past week but is said to be better at this writing.

Mrs. Errand White who is visiting at Sidney left for there they will make their home.

Several from Comanche attended the funeral of Mrs. Cook here Monday afternoon.

Misses Lena Langston and Eula Cook visited Eula's Aunt in Comanche Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Keele and family who have been out in Fisher county looking for a location are back after their dogs and will return to Fisher county to make their future home. Morris entertained a large party with a musical Friday evening.

Toonie McCarty visited with friends at Hasse Saturday night and Sunday.

Cox and Ernest Steele are flying trip to Comanche Saturday.

On Monday evening the 15th the remains of Mrs. Bettie Cook were brought here from Austin and laid to rest in Pendergrass cemetery. Mrs. Cook was one of the oldest residents of this section of the county, having moved here about 59 years ago, where her only son, James is teaching in the University of Texas. At an early age she united with the Christian church and has since lived a consistent Christian. Besides her son she leaves a sister, Mrs. Parker, of this place, a brother, Mr. Pendergrass, of Comanche. A host of friends extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Rucker News.

Most of the farmers are about home gathering their crops. Some crops are very good.

The writer and his brother, Marvin, made 611 bushels on 15 acres and had a little less than an acre of Joe neck syrup cane.

Miss Helpintine Hale has returned to her home in Bell county.

Jesse DeWese, wife and baby, have returned from Callahan Co. Vernice Day has returned from Runnels county.

Rev. R. L. Day is visiting his father while on his way to the state convention.

Rev. E. L. Springer of Carbon filled his regular appointment Saturday at Liberty.

The health of these parts are very good at present.

Energy News.

We had a cold norther Sunday morning and a small shower.

Farmers have been sowing grain the last two weeks, and are about thru with wheat and oat sowing.

Leslie Hensley had an arm broken last week but is getting along fine.

Gus Rudd and son, Patterson, went to Gustine Saturday on business.

Prof. West and his sister visited home folks at Comanche Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhimes of near Goldthwaite visited T. T. Brown Saturday and Sunday.

There was a box supper at the school house Friday night, proceeds to be used to repair the house. About \$17.00 was raised.

Grandpa Hue Price of near Indian Gap dropped dead Sunday with heart failure.

W. W. Laceywell and J. F. Ritchie is making syrup this week.

Arthur Kemp went to Comanche Saturday.

Duster News.

John Andress and Mat Smith went to DeLeon Friday.

Bud Greene and family have returned from the west.

Mr. Roberts and wife and son went to DeLeon on Monday of last week.

Miss Leola Smith and brothers, John and Guy, spent last week and the week before with their grandmother, Mrs. Head.

Aunt Evie Stephenson and son, Charlie, have gone to Hamilton to visit Sam Sanders and family.

Dr. Haynes of Bibb came to Beattie Monday and Tuesday to visit Uncle Sid Bingham, who had a bilious attack.

Wilson Stephenson has gone west to hunt a location.

A. J. Lloyd and family have come in from the west.

J. T. Greene went to Rotan Sunday to look at a place as he intends moving out there.

R. C. Roberts went to Gorman Monday.

Mrs. M. R. Robertson and children and Claude and Herbert Kelley have come in from the west.

O. D. Henley visited Bro. Carter Friday night.

Mrs. L. M. Clements and Mrs. J. T. Greene went to Comanche Tuesday.

Mrs. Edd Vaughan and Mrs. E. W. Butler visited Mrs. Nat Vaughan near Stag Creek Wednesday.

S. J. Hancock and J. H. Welch went to Comanche Wednesday.

A. H. Nabers and W. M. Nelson went to Sipe Springs Monday and carried hogs to ship.

L. M. Clements and Jewell went to Comanche Friday.

Miss Lizzie Lloyd and sister were here Tuesday.

R. I. Jackson and Leo Boan of Gorman were here on business Thursday.

J. H. Welch, Vera, Addie, Ona and Dow, visited relatives at May Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Etta Smith has come in from Hamlin.

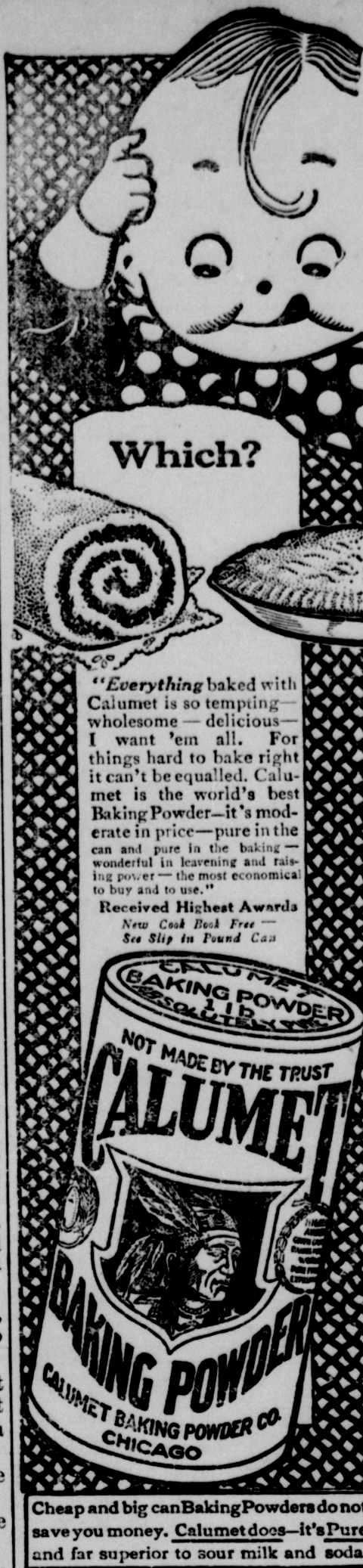
Cotton Grove News.

Well, winter is here at last and it seems it has come to stay. Jack Frost done considerable damage Sunday night.

Richard Hasting is moving to this community from Rising Star.

Mrs. Randall and daughter, Miss Ollie, is up visiting her son, Telly.

A number from here went to



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Elm Grove Sunday afternoon to singing.

School started at Cotton Grove Monday morning with Mrs. Cathery as principal and Misses Cleo Herring and Mabel High as assistants. Attendance was good for the beginning; more will start later.

Edd Mathews came back after his wife and children from Stone-wall county where he has work for another year.

Sunday night is our regular singing night, everybody come and bring your book.

Aubrey Beene spent Saturday night with his friend, Roy Johnson.

Misses Dollie Stubblefield and Olene Robertson were in town shopping Tuesday afternoon.

Otho Cleere visited friends(?) in Beattie Saturday night and Sunday.

Suez News.

Sunday was a very cold day here, although the singing class met and had a very good singing. There will be singing on the fourth Sunday of each month only during the winter.

Ervin Warren left Sunday for Beattie where he will teach school this winter.

The pecan crop in this section of the country was a failure this year.

Clarence Hazlet of Salem attended singing here Sunday afternoon.

There was a few hogs killed here Monday.

The school has been going on a week and the attendance was unusually large for the first week. They enrolled seventy.

Mr. Hornsby attended singing here Sunday.

Sant Martin has arrived from the west to look after things.

Leonard Thomas has gone west.

Fourth Sunday is regular preaching day at Suez; everybody invited to come.

Graham Chapel.

We had a light freeze and heavy frost here Sunday night.

C. F. Luker visited his father, G. W. Luker, south of Comanche Saturday and Sunday.

G. W. Purvis had business in Comanche Monday.

Mr. Tom Murphy and Miss Delia Burleson surprised their many Chapel friends by getting married Sunday.

Miss Omie Taylor who is staying at Proctor attending school

visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Little Vernon Kelly who was seriously cut on his head by the spring seat of their wagon falling on him while returning from Proctor about a week ago, is able to be removed to his home and is doing nicely at this writing.

Will Murphy and family have removed to the R. S. Palmer place near Edna Hill where he goes to take charge of the farm.

Mrs. Lloyd Sturkie visited her sister, Mrs. Clemons Luker, one day last week.

Van Dyke.

D. E. Nabers and C. A. Nabers, traveling salesmen, returned Saturday after a three weeks' tour in North Texas.

J. C. Fritts and son, Pete, went to Ft. Worth Tuesday with two cars of cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nabers, Mrs. A. C. Daniels and C. A. Nabers, left here Monday via auto to visit relatives in San Antonio.

Olen Howard of Levoka, Texas, arrived here Thursday and was married to Miss Annie Brinson. They left Monday to make their home at Levoka.

Mrs. Rainwater of near Hamilton, is here to be with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Owen, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Luke Stewart visited relatives at Hasse Saturday and Sunday.

Travis Owen is at home again from Dublin.

New pupils are being enrolled daily in the public school. Prospects are that we will have a very successful term.

Copperas Prairie and Gap.

The first norther of the season struck here Sunday morning with rain and sleet which caused fire and overcoats to be in demand, and a heavy frost Monday morning which killed all vegetation. Threshing of neanuts is the order of the day this week and the yield is said to be good.

Mrs. J. W. Smith of near Blanket, after a weeks visit with relatives here returned home Sunday, accompanied by her brother, W. H. Reece.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones returned from the west Saturday where they have been since early fall gathering the fleecy staple.

Gurley Graham, Chester Colley and Herman Adams came in Sunday from the west looking hale and hearty.

J. R. Bryson left Monday for Ft. Worth where he will reside in the future.

W. H. Young, while en route from Sidney one day last week in his buggy, the breechen breaking searing the animal he was driving which broke to run jerking the front wheels from under the bed and W. H. out, and started to run, dragging Mr. Young, but he succeeded in checking her with but little damage to his arms and elbows.

Gurley Graham and Herman visited the cotton palace on their return from the west.

Mrs. Murt Sullivan was here the latter part of last week soliciting subscriptions to the Chief-Exponent.

K. D. Jones had a fine jersey cow to die Saturday from black leg.

Mercer Gap and Harmony.

Weather has changed lately and if it continues cold hog killing will be the order of the day.

Will Duncan of Graham, Young county, is visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. Gerald Bryson was in our community one day last week taking subscriptions for the Chief.

Clarence Edwards and Bill Brown returned Saturday from the west where they have been picking cotton during the fall.

Harmony News.

The health of our community is good at present.

J. E. Howell and family from Abilene are back to Comanche.

Miss Altie Osborn visited Miss Era Franks Tuesday night.

Our Sunday school is doing nicely. Have some new joiners nearly every Sunday.

Miss Era Franks visited Miss Nettie Acker Wednesday night.

The Fifth Sunday rally at Harmony was fine.

The Oak Valley singing class visited us from Saturday until Sunday afternoon. These were

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The Peace Maker flour has won 17 first premiums from 4 different fairs and we all know that unless it were better than other brands it would not have captured these prizes; for fairs employ only the best judges to pass on the different kinds of products.

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MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

During this sale we offer to the trade our entire stock of Hamilton Brown shoes for sale, regardless of former cost or present value.

One lot boys and girls regular \$1.50 school shoes, go at choice.....98c

All the the boys regular \$2.50 shoes go at only\$1.79

Big lot children's and misses' fine school shoes, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 values for \$1.15

Misses and childrens regular \$2.50 Security School shoes go at\$1.95

Big lot ladies regular \$2.00 dress and work shoes, go in this sale at.....\$1.29

One lot ladies regular \$2.50 and \$3 dress shoes, go at only.....\$1.79

All the American Lady dress shoes, regular \$3.50 and \$4 values at.....\$2.56

One lot mens regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 work shoes go at only.....\$1.98

STAPLE DRY GOODS

Big lot yard wide brown domestic, while it lasts, goes at the yard....3c

Regular 10c outing flannels go at per yard 8 1-3c

Yard wire Gold Mecat bleach domestic goes at 8 1-3c

All the regular 10c and 12 1/2c dress ginghams go at 8 1-3c

DRESS GOODS

Regular \$1.00 grade 54-inch dress goods to go at yard.....49c

Regular 75c grade wool dress goods to go at 38c

Regular 35c dress goods and waistings to go at 22c

Regular 20c and 25c suiting to go at only 13c

Regular 50c and 75c China silks, in all colors 33c

COAT SUITS AND CLOAKS

One lot regular \$6.50 black broadcloth coats go at \$3.98

One lot regular \$7.50 and \$10.00 coats to go at \$4.95

Big lot regular \$15 fine coats to go at only \$10.95

One lot ladies regular \$17.50 and \$18.50 coat suits to go at.....\$12.45

One lot ladies regular \$22.50 and \$25.00 coat suits will go at...\$17.85

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Men's, women's and children's regular 10c hose 8 1-3c

Men's women's and children's regular 15s hose 11c

Men's, women's and children's regular 25c hose 19c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Big lot New Home Sewing Machines, regular \$35.00 values, to go in this sale at\$24.75

MEN'S PANTS

All the regular \$1.00 grade men's overalls go at 79c

All the men's regular \$1.50 work pants go at\$1.19

All the men's regular \$2 dress pants go at\$1.49

All the men's regular \$2.50 dress pants go at\$1.95

All the men's regular \$3.50 and \$4 dress pants go at.....\$3.19

BOYS' KNEE PANTS

All the boys 75c knee pants go at 49c

All the boys regular \$1 knee pants go at 79c

All the boys regular \$1.50 knee pants go at \$1.19

BOYS' SUITS

One lot boys' long pant suits, range in price from \$5 to \$10, choice of the lot during this sale.....\$1.95

All the boys \$4.50 and \$5.00 knee pant suits go at\$3.95

All the boys regular \$7.50 and \$10 knee pant suits go at.....\$6.95

MEN'S SUITS

Our entire stock of men's high grade suits included in this sale regardless of cost.

Big lot men's regular \$15 and \$20 grey suits, to go in this sale at choice of the lot\$9.95

All of our very best grade of men's regular \$18 and \$20 blue serge suits to go at choice\$14.85

All our men's regular \$25 suits, this season's newest styles, to go at choice \$17.85

MEN'S HATS

All our men's regular \$3.00 Chamois hats, new stock, during sale...\$2.49

John B. Stetson \$5 raw edge hats to go at \$3.95

MEN'S SHIRTS

Men's regular \$1.25 dress shirts go at only 89c

MEN'S AND BOYS' UNDERWEAR

Big lot boys' regular 35c fleeced lined underwear 23c

Men's regular 50c fleeced and ribbed underwear to go at per garment 49c

Men's regular \$1.25 union suits to go at only 95c

Men's regular \$1.50 all wool underwear at per garment 98c

HARDWARE

Pocket Knives

Regular \$1 grade diamond Edge pocket knives to go at.....69c

Regular \$1.25 Diamond Edge pocket knives go at.....88c

Regular \$1.50 Diamond Edge pocket knives go at\$1.19

Shelf Hardware

Regular 50c Mound City heavy weight carpenter's hammer 35c

Regular \$2.50 E. C. Simmons Keen Cutter hand saws, only.....\$1.79

Regular \$1.25 W. C. Kelley single bit ax and handle for.....99c

Regular \$1.50 Diamond Edge double-bit ax and handle for.....\$1.19

SHOT GUNS AND SHELLS

Regular \$17.50 Belgium Twist double barrel hammer shot gun\$10.75

Regular \$20 Utica double barrel hammer shot gun for\$13.65

Regular \$16.50 .22 Savage repeating rifle for\$11.48

Regular \$25 Utica double barrel hammerless shot gun for.....\$16.85

CUTLERY AND TINWARE

Regular 75c lanterns go at only.52c

Regular \$1.50 copper bottom lanterns to go at.....\$1.19

Regular 75c set knives and forks go at 48c

Regular \$1.00 fancy table knives and forks go at 73c

Big discount on lumber, lime and cement if bought during this sale.

Big discount on wagons, buggies and all kinds of farm implements.

COOK STOVES

Regular \$35 National Insurance oil stoves go at\$19.95

Regular \$7.50 Buck's Beauty cook stoves go at\$4.90

Regular \$12.50 Buck's Beauty cook stoves go at\$8.25

Regular \$15.00 Buck's Beauty cook stoves go at\$9.75

Regular \$17.50 Buck's Famous white enamel cook stoves go at.....\$11.40

Regular \$22.50 Buck's Loyal cook stoves go at\$16.25

GROCERIES

9 pounds good roasted moffee for\$1.00

6 pounds best grade peaberry coffee for \$1.00

Dark Karo syrup at per bucket...37c

Light Karo syrup at per bucket...39c

Regular 60c can California Fruit Blend syrup for 39c

Mary Jane table syrup at per bucket only 39c

Regular 50c Health Club baking powder for 33c

Regular 25c size Health Club baking powder for 15c

Regular 25c bucket Good Luck baking powder for 19c

Regular 10c box corn starch for ..7c

Regular 10c Shinola shoe polish for 8 1-3c

Regular 35c brooms for 25c

Regular 50c brooms for 35c

Regular 50c package Pratt's poultry regulator for 34c

Regular 25c package Pratt's poultry regulator for 17c

Regular 50c Box Pratt's lice killer for 29c

Regular 25c can cherries for...19c

Vinegar at per gallon during this sale only 18c

During this sale we will pay the highest market price for all kinds of farm and country produce—Cotton, Corn, Oats and Peanuts.

Big Car
Kokomo Diamond Mesh
Hog Fence Just Arrived

19 inch . . . \$4
27 inch . . . \$5

REMEMBER
This Sale is for Cash
Positively No Goods
Charged at Sale Price.

JACK FROST IS HERE
Buck's Stoves are in Season
LOOK! READ!
Greatest Bargains in Stove Prices

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COMANCHE, TEXAS

We are Receiving
NEW GOODS
Every Week
to fill up the gaps. Our Bargains are fresh up-to-now merchandise.



Remember we have reduced Prices on Lumber, Paints and all Building Materials.

NO ALUM in Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard

Made from Cream of Tartar

IMPORTANCE OF EGGS ON THE FARM

"Egg and butter money belong to the women" has been a motto on farms since the farmer took to himself a wife. So the poultry has by custom fallen to the care of farmers' wives and daughters. Naturally women are fitted for accomplishing the careful details necessary in the business of poultry raising and the furnishing of eggs to the market. Scattered over the country there may be found many women broken in health by continuing occupations, who, with the years, have purchased rural spots and are earning living by poultry raising. Fully they are regaining

When it is estimated that the annual production of poultry and eggs in the United States is in excess of \$600,000,000—just as large as the hay or the wheat crop—and that notwithstanding this large sale eggs are almost prohibitive in price half the year, it may be seen that there is a field which is uncrowded. When it is known, too, that eight per cent of the eggs marketed are lost through improper handling between the farm and market, or through dirty nests or other carelessness, it may be recognized that the egg business has possibilities which it has never attained. Also, with better feeding, more careful stocking, better housing, the crop of eggs could be increased greatly and eggs could be less scarce in fall and winter.

Egg raising is a scientific subject worthy of any woman's study and here is a lucrative work for young girls on farms. May many of them busy themselves in this way and thus avoid "going to the city" for occupation and doubtful "opportunities" for usefulness.—Farm & Ranch.

Irregular bowel movements lead to chronic constipation and a constipated habit fills the system with impurities. HERBINE is a great bowel regulator. It purifies the system, vitalizes the blood and puts the digestive organs in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by S. P. Smith.

1915 CORN PRODUCTION MOST VALUABLE PRODUCED

Based on prices paid farmers Nov. 1st, 1915, this year's corn production in the United States, which amounts to 3,090,000 bushels according to preliminary estimates is the most valuable ever grown. These figures are prepared by the Bureau of Crop Estimates and that department values the 1915 corn crop at \$1,913,025,000.

In size this year's production is second only to the record crop of 1912, which amounted to about 35,000,000 bushels more than the 1915 estimates.

The increase in corn production is most marked in the southern states. They produced about 27 per cent of this year's crop; usually they produce about 22 per cent of the crop. The quality of the crop in these states is also better than in any other locality.

The 1914 production of corn for the United States amounted to 2,672,804,000 bushels and in Texas this year, the corn production is estimated at 175,893,000 bushels.

THROW OUT THE LINE

Give them help and many Comanche people will be happier.

"Throw out the Life Line"—Weak kidneys need help. They're often overworked—they don't get the poison filtered out of the blood.

Will you help them? Doan's Kidney Pills have brought benefit to thousands of kidney sufferers.

Comanche testimony proves their worth.

S. F. Stapp, retired farmer, Comanche, says: "I used to have catches in my back and when they came on I couldn't even move. My kidneys acted too often, especially at night, when I had to pass the kidney secretions too often. The secretions pained me and also contained sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills cleared up the kidney secretions and made my kidneys act as they should. I used only about four boxes and haven't had any catches in my back since and my kidneys have acted regularly."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Stapp had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

FORMER COMANCHE BOY MAKING GOOD

Friends of A. B. (Arther) Moore will read the clipping below with a great deal of pleasure. Arthur is wholly a self-made boy, coming up under great difficulty, and is making good in the business world.

Mrs. Moore and daughter also reside in Corpus Christi where Miss Ellen is employed.

"The remodeling of the Furman building at the corner of Mesquite and Peoples street has been practically completed today. This afternoon and tonight the proprietors of the Sun Pharmacy, which will occupy the largest space in the building, will direct the removal of their stock from the present location to their new quarters.

The Sun Pharmacy is owned and operated by A. F. Weir and A. B. Moore. Mr. Weir came to this city about one year ago and established the business, that has experienced a marked growth within the past few months. He was later joined by A. B. Moore, who purchased an interest in the business and has been engaged in directing its conduct in conjunction with Mr. Weir.

A \$4000 soda fountain has been installed in the new quarters and this department of the business will be properly featured, all the specials in modern day offerings in this line being carried. A specialty will be made in hot lunches during the winter. The general drug and prescription department occupy a large portion of the store. Spacious room is allowed for the reception of customers and special arrangements have been made for their comfort."

How to Prevent Croup.

It may be a surprise to you to learn that in many cases croup can be prevented. Mrs. H. M. Johns, Elida, Ohio, relates her experience as follows: "My little boy is subject to croup. During the past winter I kept a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and when he began having that croup cough I would give him one or two doses of it and it would break the attack. I like it better for children than any other cough medicine because children take it willingly, and it is safe and reliable." Obtainable everywhere.

Syracuse, N. Y.—Because a thin membranous filament connecting his toes made him web-footed, Frank Leque, Holtville, L. I., thought he would make a splendid recruit for that semi-aquatic organization, the United States Marine Corps, and was keenly disappointed when Sergeant George B. McGee in charge of the local recruiting station, rejected him for that very reason. Now Leque believes that if Uncle Sam can't use a man-duck, he still has a mission in life, and is contemplating applying for a position as traffic "cop" in the city of unfixed leaks—Venice.

Distress in the Stomach.

There are many people who have a distress in the stomach after meals. It is due to indigestion and easily remedied by taking one of Chamberlain's Tablets after meals. Mrs. Henry Padghan, Victor, N. Y., writes: "For some time I was troubled with headache and distress in my stomach after eating, also with constipation. About six months ago I began taking Chamberlain's tablets. They regulated the action of my bowels and the headache and other annoyances ceased in a short time." Obtainable everywhere.

WANTED—To buy any and all kinds of second-hand bags.—Meadows Grocery Co. (12tf)

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, B. S. Tankersley and wife, S. F. Tankersley, by their deed of trust in writing, dated the first day of October A. D. 1907, and of record in the Deed of Trust Records of Comanche County, Texas, in Book J, pages 337 et seq., did convey the real estate herein-after described to Horace H. Cobb as Trustee, for the purpose of securing The W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Company, a corporation of Tarrant County, Texas, or its assigns, in the payment of a certain Bond of even date with said

Deed of Trust, for the sum of \$600.00, due five years after date, together with interest thereon according to certain coupons thereto attached, and certain interest notes, all more particularly described in said Deed of Trust.

And, whereas, said bond was extended for a period of five years from and after its maturity by written agreement duly executed and acknowledged by the said B. S. Tankersley and wife S. F. Tankersley,

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of the interest coupons and interest notes due October 1st, 1914 and October 1st, 1915, whereby the power of sale given in said Deed of Trust has become operative.

And, whereas, said Deed of Trust provides that, in case of a sale of said property or any part thereof is made under said Deed of Trust for the payment of any notes or coupons falling due before the maturity of said Bond, that such sale may be subject to the lien of said Deed of Trust to secure the payment of said Bond, and the notes and coupons not yet due, and for the appointment of a Substitute Trustee, in case the said Trustee refuses to act,

And, whereas, The W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Company, the owner of said past due interest coupons and notes has notified me of said default, and that said Trustee refuses to act, and has appointed me Substitute Trustee, and requested me to advertise and sell said real estate (subject to the said bond and annual interest thereon from October 1st, 1915, at 10 per cent. per annum) in the manner provided in said Deed of Trust, for the purpose of paying the past due interest on said Bond (which at the date of this notice amounts to the sum of \$127.32) together with the costs of this foreclosure.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I will, on Tuesday, the 7th day of December A. D. 1915, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the courthouse door at Comanche, in the said County of Comanche, State of Texas, offer for sale at public vendue or outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the certain real estate and property described in and conveyed by the said Deed of Trust, subject to said Bond and interest thereon from and after October 1st, 1915, at the rate of 10 per cent. as aforesaid, which said real estate is described in said Deed of Trust as follows, to-wit:

A part of the survey of 168 acres of land patented to W. J. Pierson by the State of Texas, by Pat. No. 522, Vol. 30, Certificate No. 21-324, and of Sec. No. 1943, known as S. W. 1/4 of Sec. No. 34, E. T. Ry. Co. Beginning at S. W. corner of said section No. 34; thence east 737 vrs. thence north 552 vrs. thence west 237 vrs. thence north 148 vrs. thence west 464 vrs. thence south 700 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Said land is located in Comanche County, Texas, about eight miles N. W. of Comanche, and is commonly known as the B. S. Tankersley place.

Witness my hand this 10th day of November A. D. 1915.

J. A. Holman, Substitute Trustee.

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Comanche.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Comanche County, of the 10th day of November, 1915, by W. D. Carroll, clerk of said Court, for the sum of \$2254.63 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment of foreclosure, in favor of The Union Central Life Ins. Co. in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3419 and styled The Union Central Life Ins. Co. vs. I. N. Freeman et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Jack Cunningham, as Sheriff of Comanche County, Texas, did on the 10th day of November, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Comanche County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit 118 3-4 acres out of the J. I. Parker assignee of the Adairshipley survey in said county and state, described as follows:

Beginning at a stone mound for the south-west corner of a pre-emption survey made for B. F. Campbell in the south line of the Joseph Blakemore survey thence west crossing Duncan Creek 584 vrs. to a stake, the north-west corner of said survey; thence south with the east line of the R. L. Easley survey 1148 vrs. to the south-east corner for the southwest corner of this survey; thence east 548 vrs. to the north line of the P. B. Milliean survey for the south-west corner of the said Campbell survey for the south-east corner of this survey; thence north with the west line of

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An abstract from our plant will show you. Our plant is complete in every detail. All work entrusted to us will have prompt and careful attention. Mail us description of your property, and let us make you an estimate of the cost of an Abstract to your land.

Comanche County Abstract Co.

(Incorporated)

President J. R. Eanes Vice-President C. A. Hitt Secretary J. F. Redwine Treasurer Jno. D. Waring

the said Campbell survey 1148 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being the same land described in a deed from H. L. Stewart and wife to I. N. Freeman, of record in the Deed Records of Comanche County, Texas, to which reference is hereby made, and levied upon as the property of I. N. Freeman, and that on the first Tuesday in December, 1915, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the courthouse door of Comanche County, in the town of Comanche, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said I. N. Freeman.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in The Chief-Exponent, a newspaper published in Comanche County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of November, 1915.

Jack Cunningham, Sheriff Comanche County, Texas. By J. E. Miller, Deputy. (11-14)

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Comanche.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Comanche County, on the 10th day of November, 1915, by W. D. Carroll, district clerk of said Comanche County, Texas, for the sum of four hundred fifteen and 90-100 (\$415.90) dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of H. R. Lacy, J. F. Lane and D. H. Cunningham Jr., in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3417 and styled H. R. Lacy, J. F. Lane and D. H. Cunningham Jr., Plaintiffs, vs. J. W. Rumans, A. C. Smith, Mattie Smith, and J. V. Vines, Defendants, placed in my hands for service, I, Jack Cunningham, as Sheriff of Comanche County, Texas, did on the 10th day of November, 1915, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Comanche County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 4, block B, Fairland addition to the town of Comanche, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. W. Rumans, A. C. Smith, Mattie Smith, and J. V. Vines, and that on the first Tuesday in December, 1915, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the courthouse door of Comanche County in the city of Comanche, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. W. Rumans, A. C. Smith, Mattie Smith, and J. V. Vines.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Chief-Exponent, a newspaper published in Comanche County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of November, 1915.

Jack Cunningham, Sheriff, Comanche County, Texas. By J. E. Miller, Deputy. (11-14)

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, H. L. Stewart and wife, by their certain deed of trust in writing dated the 6th day of June A. D. 1913, and of record in the Trust Deed Records of Comanche County, Texas, in Book "S" page 600 did convey the real estate hereinafter described to J. A. Holman as trustee for E. D. Orear of Nodaway County, Missouri, for the purpose of securing to the said E. D. Orear the payment of a certain note with interest coupons attached thereto, all of which are fully described in said Deed of Trust,

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of two of said coupon notes which became due and payable on the 6th day of November A. D. 1914 and 1915, respectively, and whereas, it is provided in said note and in said deed of trust, that should default be made in the payment of any of said coupon interest notes for a term of ten days, that the holder thereof, may declare the whole of said debt immediately due without notice of any kind whatever, the same to be collected in like manner as if the full time provided in said note and trust deed had expired. And, whereas, by reason of such default in the payment of said interest coupon notes as aforesaid, the power of sale given in said Trust Deed has become operative, and, whereas, E. D. Orear, the owner and holder of said note and said interest coupon notes has notified me of said default, and requested me to advertise and sell said real estate in the manner provided in said deed of trust, for the purpose of paying said note and the interest coupons due thereon (which debt at the date of this notice amounts to the sum of \$1047.39) One thousand and forty-seven dollars and thirty-nine cents) together with the additional costs of this foreclosure.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I will on Tuesday, the 7th day of December A. D. 1915, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day at the courthouse door in the City of Comanche, in said County of Comanche, State of Texas, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, all that certain real estate and property described in and conveyed by said deed of trust, and which said real estate is described in said deed of trust as follows, to-wit:

Ninety-one acres of land in said County of Comanche, State of Texas, being a part of the James Wilhelm survey, more fully described by metes and bounds thus: Beginning at the northwest corner of said Wilhelm survey for the northwest corner of this tract; thence south 71 deg. east 1601 varas to a black jack tree for corner, a P. O. bears N 49 deg. W. 4 1-2 vrs; thence south 19 deg. west 320 vrs. to a stake a chittam tree bears N. 72 1-2 deg. E. 3 1-2 vrs.; thence north 71 deg. west, pass the N. E. corner of C. C. Eubanks, continue with his north line 1601 vrs. to his northwest corner on west line of said Wilhelm survey; thence north 19 deg. east 320 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of November A. D. 1915. (11-13) J. A. Holman, Trustee.

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The scientific combination of Cream and Powder. Delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the sun and wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion.

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All kind of funeral supplies, east or credit—day or night.

MARKET REPORT

Market Taken Wednesday at Comanche.

Cotton 11c; sales very light.
Corn 45c to 50c per bushel; (steady.)
Maize 75c per hundred.
Oats 36c to 38c per bushel; (bulk.)
Peanuts 60c to 62 1-2c per bushel.
Black-eyed peas \$1.50 per bushel.
Cotton seed 52c per bushel.
Poultry.
Hens 8 1-2c per lb.
Fryers 11c per lb.
Turkeys 12c per lb.
Butter (stock) 15c per lb.
Eggs 22c per doz.
Pecans 7c per lb.
Furs, good demand.

Below is Prices Paid in DeLeon Tuesday, Nov. 16th.

Cotton.
Cotton sold on the streets at from 11c to 11.10. Sales very light. The prospects are that the crop is just about sold.

Cotton Seed.
Cotton seed at \$30 per ton or 48c per bu. Very few sales and no competition in the market.

Peanuts.
Not so many peanuts this week, as has been in the past. Good clean peanuts at 62c per bu. Damaged peanuts from 55c to 60c per bu.

Field Peas.
No sales to report; market steady at \$1 per bu.

Table Peas.
Going at \$1.50 per bu. Sales very light.

Pecans.
Very good demand for pecans; market at 7c per lb. Several thousand lbs. moving at this price.

Poultry.
Hens at 11c per lb.; very good sales. Fryers 12 1-2c with sales light. Turkeys 11c per lb. with sales good.

Sweet Potatoes.
Market not very active. Choice potatoes 75c per bu. Mixed and not good variety at 50c to 65c per bu.

Hogs.
Ranging from 6 to 8 1-2c per lb. for corn fed stuff. Market off on peanut hogs.

Butter.
The best grade at 20c per lb. Barrel goods at from 15c to 18c lb.

Hay.
When selling, 15c per bale for peanut hay. All seem to be well supplied on hay and market dull.

Corn.
No sales to report, market at 50c per bu. on the streets.

Eggs.
Good demand for eggs at 20c per doz., with prospects for a higher market.

Cotton Gin Report.

The gin report for Nov. 1, of this year as given by official reporter, S. W. Switzer, shows 4,769 bales ginned in the county as against 11,935 by Nov. 1st, 1914; but little more than one-third of last year's crop and it is nearly all gathered. What a reduction in cotton. Only a few years ago the old blue gin used to handle more than 5,000 bales each season. "The peanut thresher has got the gin's goat."



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PROP.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. S. P. Smith went to Dublin Saturday accompanying Herbert and Janet, children of Mrs. Myrtle Smith that far on the road to their new home in Dallas.

Chas. Hoel and wife are visitors at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hoff this week. They are accompanied by their baby, Gus Hoel and wife, and Miss Olga Hoel; also Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Rea of Indian Gap. Mr. and Mrs. Hoel now reside in Clifton.

D. F. Eaton left Monday for Waco thence to St. Louis to attend a meeting of Agricultural representatives of U. S.

M. A. Finger is spending this week in Houston combining business and pleasure.

G. S. Sullivan made a business trip to San Angelo.

Walter Alexander of Millers view spent Tuesday in Comanche. W. L. Lusk of near Gorman was a caller at the Chief office Tuesday.

B. T. Sherrill of Fort Worth was in Comanche this week.

G. L. Sullivan, L. L. Norwood and C. S. Oates left Wednesday by auto for Fort Stockton and other points of the west.

Miss Hautensz Cox visited relatives in Proctor Saturday and Sunday.

C. H. Stagner of Woodson, Throckmorton county, was in Comanche this week attending the funeral of Mrs. Cook. Charley is now engaged in the drug business in Woodson.

Miss Mae Hall attended the cotton palace and visited relatives in Waco Saturday.

Mrs. T. F. Smalling and little daughter of Gallup, N. M., are here guests of her mother, Mrs. G. A. Chilton, and aunt, Mrs. J. B. Chilton.

\$4.50!

Until December the first we will sell you 26-inch Hog Fence at \$4.50 per roll of 110 yards. We are also making special prices on 36, 48 and 60 inch Fence. Suitable for good fences and lots.

Higginbotham's.

Fur sets at Roberson Sisters Store.

Home Mission Service.

The week, Nov. 21 to 28, being the week of prayer for home missions in the Presbyterian church, the ladies of our local church are preparing for an all-day service Tuesday, Nov. 23, at the church. On the Sunday preceding, Nov. 21, Judge McMillan will deliver an address on home missions, to which all are cordially invited. Special music.

Program for Nov. 23, 10 a. m.: Call to order and prayer, by president.

Song.

Responsive Scripture reading led by Mrs. Hoff.

Prayer—Mrs. W. W. Kilpatrick.

Song.

Review of Study Book, conducted by Mrs. R. W. Seurry.

Adjournment.

Afternoon service, 3 p. m.

Call to order and prayer by president.

Song—"Sweet Hour of Prayer."

Responsive Scripture reading, led by Mrs. Hoff.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. H. Kilpatrick.

Assembly's Home Missions and Durant School—Mrs. Hoff.

The Indians—Mrs. W. J. Cunningham.

Organ Solo—Mrs. Clarke.

Our Work Among the Negroes—Mrs. Kilpatrick.

The Highlanders of the South—Mrs. Godbold.

Concerning the Foreigner—Mrs. R. H. Moore.

Song—"May I Be Faithful."

The Mexicans—Mrs. Clarke.

Saving a Child—Mrs. Houghton.

Review of Our Work—Mrs. Seurry.

Adjournment.

A free-will offering will be taken for home missions.

For Sale—Big Bargains—Second hand wagons—Neely-Harris-Cunningham Co.

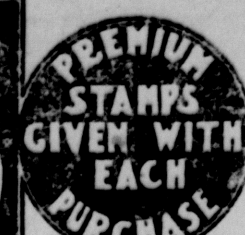
One dozen new silk dress patterns, latest shades, midnight blue, African brown, plaids, stripes, all 36 to 42 inches in width; \$1.00 to \$1.25 per yard. Come to Roberson Sisters Store.

To My Patrons.

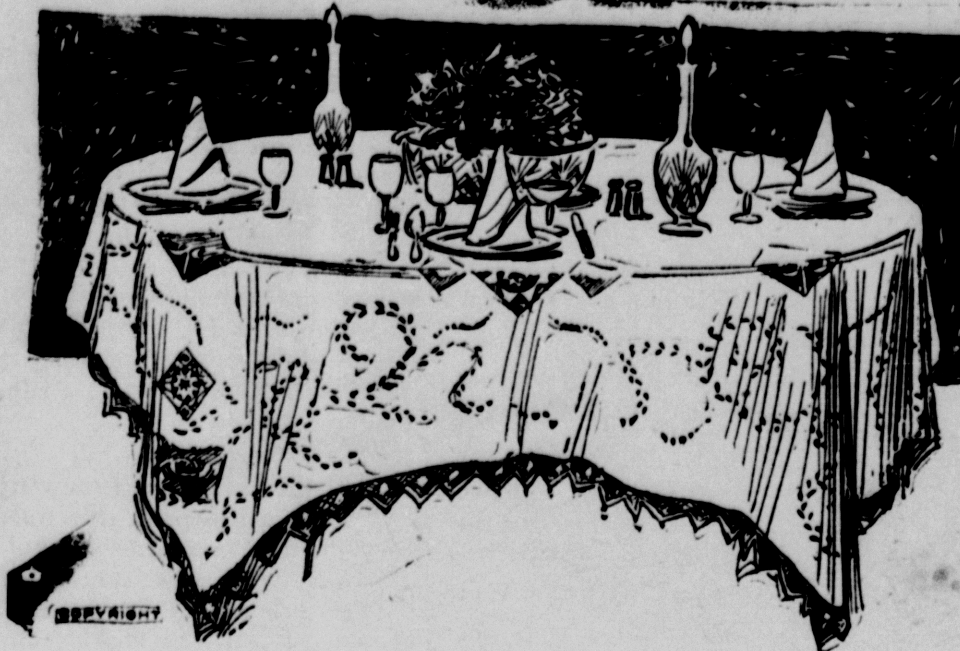
Those who are due me for services please see me at once. It will be easier to settle with me now than with my attorney later. —J. Wes. Carson, at Smith's drug store.



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Good quality plain snow white Linen Damask, 70 inches wide, value \$1.50 per yard; special ----- \$1.00

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Extra good quality snow white Damask; 72 inches wide; pretty designs; value 75c yard; special ----- 59c

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"Rosemary" 8-4 pattern Damask Table Cloth, extra quality, new designs, ready for use; value \$2.00; special only ----- \$1.48

"Rosemary" 10-4 pattern Damask; \$2.50 value, special only ----- \$1.98

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21-in 1 linen Guest Toweling, extra special yd. ----- 45c

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Big variety Table Napkins, ready for use, doz. 39c to \$3.00

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WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S LONG COATS

Brin's Coat Department includes Coats for every occasion, from the Sport Coat to the Dress Coat, and all the varying range of semi-dress Coats between. Special prices.

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The popularity of the suit is not a waning one. Fur obtains as the favorite trimming, though it sometimes gives place to other smart trimmings in velours or braidings, for one may wear

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We still have a nice selection of Suits for your selection. prices ----- \$10.00 to \$25.00

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And will be pleased to have my friends call and see me.
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FRESH BREAD AND CAKES

"MADE IN COMANCHE"

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I have entered the Chief-Exponent Subscription Contest and I ask that you consider me before subscribing.

I will appreciate any assistance you can give me.

Mrs. G. C. Bryson

For Cleaning and Pressing

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LOYD NICHOLSON

IN WETZEL'S BARBER SHOP

New Arrivals in Our Shoe Dept.

"Gypsy Boots" with the white lace; and patent kid button boots with white foxing. Both French and military heels, at Higginbotham's.

Our Christmas goods are going now, buy yours while the stock is complete.—5 and 10 Cent Store.

Lamps! Lamps! Lamps!—Special sale on the "Rayo" variety.—5 and 10 Cent Store.

Chas. Hefflin now located at Lampasas spent Sunday with his family. Charley has made quite a reputation in dry goods salesmanship making window displays a specialty.

Grade Callaway, former editor of The Chief-Exponent, left this week for Washington to work for the Star-Telegram people.

John Nichols of Hico spent Sunday with his family here.

Jim Cook and wife of Austin was in Comanche Sunday and Monday attending the funeral of his mother. Jim is a Comanche county boy of whom we are justly proud. He now has a position in the faculty of the University of Texas. He received his primary education in the Comanche high school from which he later attended Polytechnic College at Fort Worth, from there he went to the University of Texas, from which he later graduated. After three years' teaching in Temple and Hillsboro he was made a member of the faculty of the Texas University, one of the best positions teachers can aspire to.

John Matthews of Winters, Texas, spent a few hours in Comanche Tuesday. John lived in Comanche a few years ago and was employed in Bills and Matthews grocery store.

W. T. House has returned from Brady where he has been buying cotton.

C. W. Holecomb of Sweetwater, spent Monday in Comanche with his family on his way to Memphis, Tenn., where the American Tobacco company has transferred him. Charley is a Comanche lad who has made good as a traveling salesman being one of the best on the road. He is a son of Uncle Tom Holecomb, one of the most loved and respected men, during his life, to be found among the many much respected old timers.

Tobe Greer and family are spending a few days at the cotton palace this week.

Miss Gertie Davis visited friends in Blanket Sunday. Miss Davis formerly taught in the schools of that city and is perhaps the most loved person ever connected with their school.

Harry Wyatt has returned from a week's visit with his father in Sipe Springs.

Hugh Sherrill has returned from Eastern states where he has been as manager for an insurance company.

Lee Hamilton has accepted a position with the San Angelo National Bank and left for that city Sunday. "Spivey" as he is generally known has at some time been connected with each of the older banks here and is considered one of the best in his line of business.

John Easley has returned to Comanche after a month's stay in the west looking after cattle interests.

Miss Dora Palmer of Dublin spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Findley.

Mrs. Logan of Falls county, who has been visiting the family of W. H. Mullins, left for Mullen Sunday.

Jeff D. Ferguson, former editor of the Comanche News and now connected with the Star-Telegram, spent several days in Comanche this week.

Mrs. Josie Mullins and daughter of Gorman visited the family of W. H. Mullins this week.

Mrs. Ella Williams of Cisco came in Sunday for a visit at the home of G. W. Luker.

Rev. B. K. Tenny of Austin filled his regular appointment at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Jim Bryson of near Gap is moving to Fort Worth this week where he will engage in the cattle business.

Another shipment of ladies and misses coats; some entirely different and unusually attractive models. Higginbotham's.